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Media Advisory

Grand Opening of the New East Rancho Dominguez Library

It's out with the old and in with the new as the East Rancho Dominguez library located on the corner of East Rose Street and South Atlantic Avenue, in the unincorporated area of East Rancho Dominguez officially opens its doors and replaces the existing undersized library located half a mile away on Compton Avenue.

With a collection of 35,000 books and other materials, the 7,200 square-foot facility will be a community resource for the young and young at heart alike. Aside from providing students and adults with a wealth of books, the new facility will provide residents and commuters with a community room, reading areas, a homework center, public access computers, a meeting room, group study space, and public access Wi-Fi internet connection.

Built using solar energy panels, which will help offset the library's annual energy cost and qualifies for the County to receive an estimated one-time \$32,000 rebate from Southern California Edison through the California Solar Initiative Program, the library is an environmental standout. The building meets Leadership in Energy and Environment Design (LEED) Certification.

Who: Supervisor Mark Ridley-Thomas
The County of Los Angeles Public Library

What: Grand Opening of the East Rancho Dominguez Library

Time: 4:00 p.m.

When: Monday, October 29, 2012

Where: 4420 East Rose Street

East Rancho Dominguez, CA 90221

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